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## THE PULLER COMING GIN.

From the Editor of the New York Times.

Special Correspondent in Charleston County.

February 22, 1906. The cotton gin has been more than 100 years in existence, and the first patent was granted to Eli Whitney in 1794.

It is now that the cotton gin has been improved upon by the Puller gin, which is now being used in the cotton fields of the South.

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## Mr. Lever's Dairy Bill.

It is estimated that a few days ago

to the efforts Representative Lever

and his committee have been making

to the agricultural interests of South

Carolina by having established in this

state model farms where diversifica-

tion in crops would be practiced and

taught. We said then, "and repeat

now, that our Congressmen could not

be better employed than in such en-

deavors. It is gratifying, therefore,

to commend a bill which was intro-

duced in the House on January 20,

by Representative Lever, and referred

to the committee on agriculture.

The bill is entitled "a bill to further

promote the dairy industry of the

United States, and its text is as fol-

lows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and

House of Representatives of the

United States of America in congress

assembled, That the sum of twenty

thousand dollars, or so much as may

be necessary, be and is hereby ap-

propriated, out of any money in the

treasury not otherwise

appropriated, to enable the secretary

of agriculture to fund the dairy in-

dustry of the United States, and

that the secretary of agriculture

be authorized to expend this sum,

and to cause to be spread as widely

as possible the dairy industry of the

department of agriculture, in co-opera-

tion with individual dairymen and

state experiment stations in such

states, as in his discretion are most

in need of such help.

In advocacy of this measure Repre-

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## LONGWORTH, OF GRAHAMVILLE.

The grandfather of "The Groom"

Once Lived in South Carolina.

People of South Carolina were in-

terested in the historical Longworth

wedding which occurred Saturday

not only because of the prominence of

the participants, but also by reason

of the fact that the bride, a daughter

of the groom formerly lived at Gram-

hamville, S. C.

Early in the first part of the cen-

tury, two Longworths, sons of a man

from Graubünden, Switzerland, lived

at Grahamville. One of the sons

settled permanently at Graham-

ville, and he became a successful

planter. He died a middle-aged man,

leaving no children, and his branch

of the family thus became extinct.

The other son, Nicholas Longworth,

went to Cincinnati, and became a

lawyer of considerable repute. He

got his "start" in the accumulating

of large fortunes in an unusual man-

ner. One of his clients, a poor man,

unable to pay a fee, gave him a still

instead, and Attorney Nicholas Long-

worth exchanged the still for a piece

of land, on which he began the state-

ment of grapes. His wines became

well known in almost every section

of the country, and he increased his

share of real estate as he went on.

When he died, his estate was very

large, and he was known to be a very

wealthy man. Col. Henry E. Young,

of this city, states that he remem-

bered the Longworths when they

visited Nicholas Longworth, the

planter, at his home in Cincinnati

several times, and that that gentle-

man always interested in the people

and affairs at Grahamville. This

Mr. Nicholas Longworth was a grand-

father of Nicholas Longworth, who

on Saturday married Miss Alice Rose-

velt.

The daughter of Nicholas Long-

worth, Sr., was married to Larza An-

derson, a lawyer of distinction in

Cincinnati, and a brother of Major

afterwards General Anderson, who

had control of Fort Moultrie in the be-

ginning of the war between the states.

Nicholas Longworth, Sr., was con-

nected by ties of friendship with a

large number of prominent South

Carolinians, and he was always glad

to hear of his old friends after he

had become a wealthy planter.

He was a man of great family and

of this state may remember the

Longworths, of Grahamville, though

it is more than probable that there

are no more of the Longworths in

contact with them. Col. Henry E. Young

knows Longworth, Sr., quite intimately,

and referred to him as a consen-

sual of his old friends, mail—Charles

and Corbin.

Half a Million Held Up.

Columbia, February 22.—There is a

very large sum of money being held

up by the investigating committee on

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## LEGISLATORS FIGHT.

Lawmakers, Tack up in the State

Capital and Disagree—Their Constitu-

ents.

The tension between the two

houses of the general assembly over

the discrepancy situation was not en-

tirely free from a mark of violence

after all. The incident, though for a

moment looked as if it would result

seriously, passed off finally without

attract



# THE LANTERN.

PUBLISHED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.  
J. T. BIGHAM, Editor and Proprietor.

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TUESDAY, FEB. 27, 1906.

The very pleasant weather of the last few weeks will do much towards destroying confidence in the ground hog as a weather prophet.

It is announced that the conference at Aspidochelone in those active changes settling the Moroccan dispute, but that on the contrary the estrangement between France and Germany is growing more and more marked every day.

There has been no great outburst of popular sentiment as the result of the legislature's failure to abolish or amend the dispensary, but there is a deep and unmitigated hostility to the institution, and we do not believe that any promise of reform can now save it.

It is asserted that President Roosevelt has openly expressed his regard for Senator Tillman, coupling with it an invitation to visit the White House. The latter, however, has expressed no reciprocal regard, and it is not probable that the broken relations will be repaired soon.

The promoters of the Jamestown Exposition and those in active charge of the great show are having no forts untied to make the exposition a success, and judging from what has already been done and what is projected it will be a fitting memorial to the great event it is intended to commemorate.

Mr. Melver Williamson's letter regarding his method of insuring a large crop of corn seems to have been attended to, and a great deal of attention is being given to the matter, and it is hoped that the plan which has been so successful with Mr. Williamson will prove equally so with other planters.

The people of Louisiana have recently been treated to an exhibition of prompt justice. The case in question was that of Charles Coleman, colored, who murdered Miss Margaret Lear a few weeks ago. Gov. Blanchard attended the trial, and signed the death sentence immediately after the judge had pronounced the negro's doom.

At the suggestion of H. R. Tolbert's name for the postmaster at Asheville the people of that town and the country around about are rising in arms. An interview that Senator Lattin and Congressman Atkinson had with the president brought to light several incidents that shocked the president greatly, and he promptly ordered the appointment killed.

They are beginning to talk about the primaries for this year. The state executive committee will be called together about April 1st. The state meetings will be on April 23rd, the conventions on May 10th. It is said that the dispensing society will hold a "March convention" or something of the kind to devise plans to save the liquor business from the condemnation which its misdeeds have brought upon it. It is expected also that the prohibitionists will have a meeting, as will be their custom.

The death of Ex-Speaker David B. Henderson at Dubuque, Iowa, Sabbath afternoon, is not without the elements of unusual sadness. Since his retirement from Congress his health has been bad, and unrealized ambitions affected his mind as well as his health. Towards his last days his one mighty intellect had become pitifully enfeebled, but to the joy of those who loved him most, his mind cleared as the end came, and he was able to recognize time at his bedside.

Senator Tillman has been accorded the honor of having the rate bill in his charge in the senate. This honor is a little bit surprising as it was understood that the greatest change in the Republican party, if they relinquished charge of the bill at all, would give it to some member of their own party. It is believed by some that the Republicans are trying to work a practical joke on Tillman by placing him in a position that would require him to call at the White House, the likelihood of his not recently all the way to sell his feet. This may be true, but we predict that Senator Tillman will manage his part in such a way as to furnish them but little cause for merriment.

Mrs. Nanette Morrison Paralyzed.  
Mrs. Nanette Morrison, of Blackstock, suffered a partial stroke of paralysis in the Methodist church at that place Sabbath last, when she was engaged in the preaching service. She was carried to the Methodist parsonage by Mrs. Durham and Coleman. Mrs. Morrison was lying in bed last morning and is still with her. Mrs. Morrison was lying in bed last morning and is still with her. Mrs. Morrison was lying in bed last morning and is still with her.

**Richburg Presbyterian Church.**  
Rev. Chalmers Fraser, of Lancaster, will preach at the Presbyterian church, Richburg, Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock.  
Col. and Mrs. J. W. Reed and Miss Ora. Irby are spending today in Yorkville.  
Mr. Sam Jarrett went to Newton Saturday to visit his aunts and returned yesterday evening.  
Mrs. B. G. Hill, of Carlisle, came over yesterday afternoon to visit her mother, Mrs. A. C. Lytle.

**Girls Social Club.**  
Miss Kate Marshall delightfully entertained the Girls' Social club last Friday afternoon at a candy pulling. The afternoon and the candy was very much enjoyed by all who were present. Those invited were: Miss Maggie and Ella White, Cathryn and Ella Cross, Marguerite Hood, May Flinch, Charlotte Cornwell, Jean and Julia Nelson, Mrs. J. B. Dutton, Bernice Carpenter, Mattie Hill, Hingham, Kate Simril, Rebecca Stringfellow and Mabel Lindsay.

**New Band Leader Arrives.**  
Mr. A. R. Wheeler, the new director and leader of the Springdale band, arrived in the city from Atlanta with the regularity of a train. Mr. Wheeler will take up his new duties immediately.

Mr. Wheeler is an experienced band man. For many years he has been an instructor in music, and he has been the director of many of the finest organizations throughout the country. His last professional engagement was with the Van Amburgh Sousa band director. It will be remembered that the circus was in the city last fall and that the person at the time commented most favorably upon the excellence of the music. Mr. Wheeler will take a position with the Springdale band and will temporarily stay in the city until he can get back to the Van Amburgh Sousa when the season opens.

The local band is now in splendid condition, and the coming of the new leader will serve to infuse new enthusiasm. Already a number of trips are being projected for the summer and with the reputation already earned they will doubtless be innumerable demands for the band's services.

**Mrs. Locke Dead.**  
Mrs. Dorothy White Locke, aged 77 years, died Thursday morning, Feb. 22, 1906, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Nelson, in the Turnout neighborhood, after an illness of a few weeks with some bronchial trouble. Mrs. Locke enjoyed good health and was active until about a year ago when she fell and hurt her back and has never been so well since.

Her husband went to the Civil war and was killed at St. Petersburg, leaving her with two small children to rear alone, which she did well in doing. She was a member of Harmony Baptist church and was a consecrated Christian. It was an inspiration to be in her presence and to know her. Besides her two children, Mrs. T. H. Nelson and Mr. H. J. Locke, two sons, Mrs. Sarah Drum, who now lives in the Weirbridge neighborhood, and Mrs. Betsy McIntyre of Edgemont survive her. The burial was in the cemetery at Union A. R. P. church Friday afternoon after funeral services conducted by Rev. R. A. Lumpp.

**WANTED—25 girls to operate sewing machines. Apply Southern Mfg. Co., 112 C. St.**  
**Death of Mrs. W. A. Barron.**  
Mrs. W. A. Barron, of Rock Hill, who has been sick for three months, more or less, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Triplett, a few miles from the city yesterday morning. For a time Mrs. Barron was at the Magdalen Hospital, but her condition seemed to improve so much that she was taken to her old home in the country. For a while her improvement continued, but finally the tide turned and her strength slowly slipped away.

The body was taken to Rock Hill this morning for interment in the historic old graveyard at Ebenezer. Mrs. Barron was the wife of W. A. Barron in Rock Hill, of which church she was a devoted member. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the grief-stricken husband and the two motherless children. To add to the grief of the occasion the smaller child, a babe of five months, is critically ill and its life is despaired of.  
Mrs. Barron leaves two devoted parents to mourn her loss in addition to the following brothers and sisters: Messrs. John G. and Thomas, of Norfolk, and Aunt, who lives with her parents, Mrs. J. E. Frazier of Rock Hill, and Misses Dollie, Virgin and Annie, who reside with her parents.

Mrs. Mary Coffield, of Whitman, S. C., is visiting Mrs. R. B. Moffat.  
Miss Florence Johnson, of Lenoir, is visiting Mrs. E. N. Hahn.  
Col. and Mrs. J. W. Reed and Miss Ora. Irby are spending today in Yorkville.  
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Mrs. B. G. Hill, of Carlisle, came over yesterday afternoon to visit her mother, Mrs. A. C. Lytle.

Miss Z. Victoria Dantler came down from Rock Hill Saturday evening to visit Miss Oney Corbitt and returned yesterday evening.  
Miss Fannie Moffat was in the city a short time yesterday on her return to Yorkville from a few days visit to relatives at Richburg.  
Miss Lucile Hood, with her friend, Miss Susie Dunlap, came home from Rock Hill Friday evening and returned yesterday evening.

Miss Lizette Blair, of Sharon, S. C., is visiting at the home of her half brother, Mr. W. V. White, on Center street.  
Mrs. Carrie Walker and two sons have moved from Pinckney street to Rock Hill, S. C., where the telephone office, on Wylie street.  
Dr. Gill Wylie and daughter, of New York, came down from Charlotte this morning and are spending the day at Capt. E. P. Moore's.

Plenty cabbage, Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, onions, onion sets, white beans, dried fruit, cakes, crackers, cheese, and anything else you need in produce or groceries. Have right prices on Red Bile and seed potatoes. Come and see.  
W. J. CRAWFORD, Wholesale Broker, 112 Center Street.

Mr. Alex. Frazer's new home on Columbia street, the old Gill lot, is nearly completed. It is a beauty and a model of convenience and comfort.  
Mrs. S. A. Edwards, a travelling saleswoman for the Lenoir County Lumber Company of Virginia, is spending this week with the local agents of the company.

Misses Josie and Jennie Oats, accompanied by their friend, Miss Julia McArthur, came home from Rock Hill Wednesday evening and returned yesterday evening.  
Miss Sarah Sullivan, of Laurens county, has returned to her school at Shelton after a few days' visit with Miss Kate White in the city, and Miss Jeannette McDaniel in the country.

Pres. D. B. Johnson, with a delegation of six girls from Westminster college, passed through this morning on their way to Nashville to attend the Student Volunteer Movement Conference.  
Mr. E. N. Hahn received a telegram Friday informing him that his brother, Mr. J. D. Hahn, was seriously ill at Phoenix, Ariz. Another telegram Saturday said he was better. He was suffering from an attack of heart trouble.

"The Buffalo Lick Springs Co., now has its extract plant running at full blast. The company is manufacturing several most delicious and refreshing drinks, and it will be gratifying to our people at large to know that the plant is in evidence of wide spread and flourishing business.  
Miss Carrie Taylor, of Rock Hill, who has been nursing Miss Vangie Wylie in a hospital in Columbia, passed through yesterday afternoon on her return home. She said Miss Wylie is improving nicely and will likely be able to leave the hospital in another week.

The funeral of Butler Alexander was conducted as announced in Friday's Lantern. Barely has a death touched the hearts of Chester people as this one did. A very long procession followed the body to the grave, and that afternoon most of the choicest flowers in town were in the cemetery.  
The friends of Miss Carrie Dells will be glad to hear of her prospects of restored health. After a long and desperate illness, she is gradually improving, and she is delighted with the prospect of future health. Her appetite is all that could be desired. She says she is fast becoming "a living monument to Dr. Pryor's skill."  
Mrs. Z. V. Davidson and little son Robert returned this morning from a four weeks' visit to friends in Boston. Mrs. Davidson and her son, who accompanied her and will visit her sister, Mrs. J. N. Stringfellow. Mr. Davidson met them in Washington yesterday and accompanied them home.  
FOUND—At Southern depot, a pocket watch, with key, and a watch chain. At Lantern office.

**New Dairy Farm for Sale.**  
Mr. A. F. Russell, of Athens, O., has leased the dairy farm of J. D. Hahn, near Rock Hill. He intends to plant a great part of the farm in grass and to plant most of the remainder in the crops usually grown in the north. Cotton has no allurements for Mr. Russell, as it is his purpose to plant corn and clover.

Mr. Russell is an example of the hardworking and energetic northerner, and he intends to transplant to his new home all of the business and spirit of the section from which he comes. If he is successful he says that a number of neighbors will follow him to this section as a number are watching the result of his experiment.

Mrs. J. H. Linton, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her sisters, Mrs. R. H. and Mrs. J. S. Moffat.

**STILL WITH YOU.**  
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Should be repaired by a competent watchmaker. Your watch is worth more than it looks like. It will be given good, honest repairs. Fine jewelry work, stone and spectacle repairing done promptly. Ladies' work given special attention.

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**Shad! Shad!**  
Where at? Why, down at the old Reliable Big 4 Fish and Oyster Department. We handle all the best grades of Fish and Oysters that can be had on Chester's market. We handle from the smallest to the largest fish that swims the ocean, such as Trout, Blue Crabs, Spots, Whiting, Black Brim, all fresh and fresh water fish. Also the Spanish and King mackerel. We handle over 100 different kinds of fish. We are headquarters for all kinds of fish. We also clean your fish without extra charge. Nothing to do but cut them up and put them into the pan. We clean a bunch of fish in 15 minutes. We have Spanish Mackerel on Saturday. We have something from us to eat every day. Chicken, Butter, Eggs, and country produce a specialty. Sausage of all kinds. All line of fresh goods. All fish must be paid for before leaving store. Thanking you and all for past patronage, we remain your humble servants for business.

**Johnson & Co.**  
Phone No. 234.  
Corner Gadsden and Wylie Streets.

**McKee's CAFE**  
IS OPEN READY FOR BUSINESS  
IF YOU WANT  
Oysters, Lunches and Coffee  
Served in the best style drop in and try them.

**McKee Bros.**  
Just Received AT CRAWFORD'S  
The Prettiest Assortment of Fine Embroideries for 20c and 25c per yard that we have ever had. They are in short lengths and are worth a great deal more than we are offering them for. We have a beautiful assortment of White Waist Goods at the same old price. We have received all of our Gingham and Colored Goods and have never before had a prettier lot than they are.

**Floral Greenhouse**  
For Sale.  
On new terms, at cheap cash price, well located, valuable city. Also two thousand of the best flowers in the market. See me quick.  
Mrs. J. A. WALKER, 108 Gadsden St., next door Dr. White's.

# A Big Sensation In Chester

**W. B. NAIL, the Red Racket Store**  
Man, is actually selling Fine Chocolate Candy at 20c a pound and the 90c Candy at 10c a pound.  
We have just received 1,469 pounds of this Candy. When you want Candy at HALF PRICE, see the

**RED RACKET STORE People**  
Main Street, Chester, S. C.

**THE CELEBRATED Dove Hams & Breakfast Strips**  
Are the most Delicious and Tender Hams and Strips used. Try one in your next order and be convinced.  
That Mocha and Java Coffee is certainly repeating Orders.  
We have the best 20c Coffee on the market for the money, 3 pounds for 55 cents.  
Highland Blend Coffee at 25c per pound is as good as others charge 30c.  
A Big Line of Jams and Preserves, Soups and Baked Beans.

**At JOSEPH A. WALKER'S**  
Naylor's Chocolates and Bon Bons.

**SPRING OPENING**  
Of the Prettiest Line of Ladies' Oxfords and Shoes that has ever been shown in Chester. All the new Shapes, Toes, Etc.

**Call in and take a peep at them.**  
We will gladly show you the line. Remember, we guarantee every pair to give entire satisfaction.

**JOSEPH WYLIE & CO.**  
For Sale.  
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We carry everything in Floor Coverings for well appointed houses:

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## Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

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Coughs, Croup and Whooping Cough

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## SOMETHING OF INTEREST

# ALEXANDER'S

AT

This is the season that troubles Housekeepers to provide something nice to eat.

## WHY WORRY?

Give your orders to one of our nice young men when they call to see you and the trick is done.

Splendid Corn 10c a can.  
Tomatoes 10c, Peas 10c. Ask them the price per doz.  
Boston Baked Beans with Tomato Sauce 15c size reduced to 10c.  
Some nice Syrup Peaches 15c.  
Heavy Syrup Peas 15c.  
Call us up and give your order over the phone, or you will be too late.

A few dozen of the Famous Riverside and Sun Brown Tomato Ketchup reduced from 25c to 20c.

All kinds of Fresh Vegetables—Cabbage, Turnips, Sweet and Irish Potatoes.

Our stock is the most complete to be found.

We guarantee prompt, cheerful service and a hearty appreciation of any business entrusted to us.

## J. R. Alexander,

The Out Price Grocer.

### Duchess Call to Cuba.

(Columbia La. News.)


On Jan. 10th, J. E. Brakelied, the resident pastor of the Corinthian and Hildel Baptist churches, received a very important call from H. B. Mosely, D. D., Superintendent of Missions in Cuba, under the Baptist Home Mission Society of New York, to the presidency of a Cuban School at Camaguey. Following is part of the letter. The school is one of all-Christians school. Its prime object being to train our native workers. I know of no broader field of service than this school offers to the right man, who is thoroughly conversant, wide awake, energetic and not afraid of hard work and plenty of it. Cuba offers wonderful opportunities to the Christian worker. The following is Rev. Brakelied's reply.

Corvinton, La. Feb. 6, 1908.  
Dr. H. B. Mosely.

Dear Sir: Your second letter came to me yesterday. After looking at the matter, as best I can from all points of view, I believe it would be a mistake for me to give up this great field in which I am laboring to go anywhere. We have two churches in process of building; therefore I feel it my duty to stay with this work until it is completed.

Allow me to thank you for the confidence you have shown me by offering me an important work in Cuba. Yours sincerely,  
J. E. BRAKELIED.

Experience keeps a dear school, but fools will learn to no other. Idleness and pride take with a heavier hand than kings and parliaments.



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When passing and give

## His Home-Made Candies

A TRIAL.

Fresh Candies made every day

### TEN RULES FOR EMPLOYEES.

#### Some Tips That Will Aid a Young Man in Success in Life.

1. Take as much interest in your employer's business as if it were your own.
2. Do not expect to get all you want and do nothing. Do a little more work than is demanded.
3. Be prompt. Show that you have an interest in your work. You can't come down a half hour late every morning and impress your employer with the idea that you are a wide awake active man or woman with an interest in your work.
4. Do your work well today, you won't have to do any of it over again tomorrow.
5. Be cheerful and willing. A sulky countenance is not pleasant to look upon by either employer or customer. Remember your pulling power with a customer is one of your assets. The revenue will be your loss. Be courteous. Do not trust your own troops, and in harmony you those around you. It is a poor investment.
6. Be conscientious. Don't take too much interest in ball games, theatres, parties, etc., or you may find that you have not much time left to give to your work. Don't have a relative die too often. Funerals some time grow monotonous to employees during the same ball season or on matinee afternoons.
7. Do not make the same mistake twice.
8. Do not let your thoughts allow to be wool-gathering if you expect to earn an increase of salary on pay day.
9. Do not shirk your work and be always thinking of the money side of the proposition. Give good value for the money received and you will be sure to succeed.
10. Put yourself in your employer's place and figure out what kind of employee you would hire to get the best out of your business. Then set yourself to be that employee.
11. There is no short easy road to success, but it is well worth traveling.

—Exchange.

### Alphabet of Rodman.

A is for Arthur who never does fall  
B is for Bart who carries the mail  
C is for Chalmers who married a wife  
D is for Dora who keeps down the strife  
E is for Emmett who walks with a crutch  
F is for Fanny who never talks much  
G is for George who never told a lie  
H is for Hall who is fond of pie  
I is for Ida who organ can play  
J is for John who works every day  
K is for Kate who lives in bliss  
L is for Little Lewis who is sweet to kiss  
M is for Myrtle who loves to go to school  
N is for Nat who plays with a pool  
O is for Oswald one of our bright boys  
P is for Presley who has outgrown his toys  
Q is for Quince that grows on a tree  
R is for Rodman a fine town to see  
S is for Sid who travels around  
T is for Tommy who lives near town  
U is for United—across friends we  
V is for Virgie who is learned to sew  
W is for Will who brings good cheer  
X spells part of Xmas the best of the year  
Y is for the Yankee who visits our place  
Z is for Zeina who has a sweet face  
And now Mr. Editor when for news you have a run  
This alphabet will help to fill a space.  
This is a new idea but not original with the writer. I just thought it would please the little folks and hope it will not displease the grown folks to see their names in the alphabet of our town, for as the saying goes,  
"A little non-sense now and then is relished by the best of men."  
—A READER.

### Paid Judgments from Company's Funds.

New York, Feb. 23.—A grand jury investigation into alleged unlawful acts by officials of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company was begun today. The investigation is based upon evidence presented by the district attorney's office. One of the complaints submitted to the jury was a statement by James E. Wells, a former employee of the Mutual Reserve alleging that certain officials were used to court as individuals and paid the judgments secured against them out of the life insurance company's funds. The specific charges against some of the officers of the company will be formally in the hands of the grand jury in the coming week. The company's president, J. M. Smith, is alleged to have been personally involved in the matter.

### Regny Labor for Panama.

ST. JAMES, Tenn., Jan. 23.—The former American minister to Liberia, is endeavoring to enlist the interest of American canal officials in the employment of negro labor from the United States in building the canal. He has discussed the matter with Chairman Shreve, to whom he said there were a large number of negroes in the United States, particularly in the South, available and capable physically of doing the class of work required on the isthmus, who should be given an opportunity to go there.

### CABBAGE PLANTS for sale.

A large quantity of cabbage plants for sale. Call on E. C. Culp.

### The Cherry Tree Incident.

The editor of The Evening Post of this city, having alluded to the cherry tree episode in Washington's boyhood, W. W. Ellsworth, a careful student of a maroon history, wrote this letter:

"You say that little George Washington did not chop down the cherry tree as reported by his biographer. Parson Woodworth Tilton, in his book on Washington's boyhood, says that the cherry tree was cut down by George's mother, Mrs. Mary Ball Washington, in 1771. I am not sure how George's speech may have been reported by Tilton in all the various editions of his biographies (there were 70 or more of them), but in the first printing of the cherry tree incident, Tilton reports George's words as: 'I can't tell a lie, for you know I can't tell a lie.' I do not cut it with my little hatchet," except for the repetition of the word 'hatchet' from the current quotation, but more quaint.

This first printing of the famous cherry tree incident in the 18th edition of the book, printed in Augusta, Ga., in 1805. The first edition had in it no stories of Washington's boyhood, but in the 18th, the author, pleased no doubt with the success of the earlier editions and delighted to have united himself with the memory of the great Washington, let himself go. There is only one copy in existence, so far as the present writer knows, of his fifth edition. He wishes to be excused. He was once privileged to have photographs made of his most important pages, and the words of George, as given, above are copied verbatim from one of these photographs. —New York Christian Herald.

### Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and may be cured by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm two or three times a day and rubbing the parts vigorously at each application. If this does not afford relief, send on a piece of Chamberlain's Kidney Pills to follow. For sale by all Druggists.

### Soldiers Passing Through.

Fifty hundred or more regular troops of the United States army bound for the Philippines passed through Greenville yesterday on two special trains, running as sections three and four of train No. 37, the Washington and Southwestern Vestibule Limited. They reached Greenville at 8:45 a.m. and 6 o'clock last night, and were routed about as soon as engines could be slung upon their long railroad trip from Jersey City to Greenville. The train consisted of one baggage car for the personal effects of the officers, four sleeping cars of the tourist type for the enlisted men, one standard Pullman sleeper for the officers and their families.

The men were all stout, sun-browned, alert, veteran campaigners, and seemed little fatigued by the long run. They had the careless, daredevil, bored expression characteristic of the true trooper, and had little to say.

While some people are disposed to become alarmed over the present military movement to the Orient, seeing in it evidence of the strengthening of the Philippine garriens in expectation of war with China, others are disposed to credit the explanation current among military men that these soldiers are being sent westward in due course, simply for the purpose of relieving companies which have been on Philippine duty for a year or more and need a rest. Those who favor the war theory are pointing out the conditions in the Philippine group demand defense rather than increase of the garriens, and that the troops now being hurried across the continent on vestibule limited and fast mail trains have been picked for hard campaigns in tropical climates, and are being sent out with all arms and accoutrements for field duty. —Greenville News.

### Charge of Bribery.

B. G. Miller, who was arrested Wednesday morning for pleading guilty in the palm of Deputy Sheriff W. C. Calhoun for the purpose of bribery to procure a license for a saloon, and Kavanaugh, who was arrested Wednesday of plebiscite, is still in the Richmond jail. No indictment has been returned against Miller for the charge of bribery. The paper will be placed in the hands of the grand jury this morning and their action will probably be taken later. The charges against Kavanaugh were returned Wednesday morning. He was charged with the same offense as Miller, and was charged with the same offense as Miller, and was charged with the same offense as Miller.

### Gas in the Stomach.

Pointing out the danger of fulgences to often attend indigestion after a meal is caused by the formation of gas. The discomforts lead to the formation of gas and the food remains in the stomach. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will cure the disorder. They aid digestion and strengthen and improve the stomach.

### Country Best Place to Raise Children.

Country life, in distinction from city life, is attracting more and more attention, and will continue to do so as farm products bring better prices. Farmers' estates will be a rural paradise in the rural districts. It will increase the value of farm lands and enable the owners to realize a good price for the lands they do not wish to sell. This will enable them to go on and build better homes. They will be able to make more on fewer acres, build better houses in which to live, improve the premises generally, give more attention to the formation of good habits for their children, and to their moral and religious advantages as well.

The country has ever been the best place to raise a family of children, to say nothing of other things being equal. There are fewer temptations leading to the formation of bad habits. With the present outlook for that class of our people who have formed an attachment for rural life, and rural avocations, it will be interesting for the next few years, to watch the turning of the tide in the affairs of our people.

The Manchester American thinks that the time is fast approaching when the intelligent, industrious, and energetic farm boy will occupy a more prominent place in the affairs of state and nation than he has occupied in the past. The rapid pace which has to be taken by people engaged in the professions and in mercantile pursuits in order to successfully meet the competition on every hand, is not conducive to the mental endurance of the students, and the farm boy of rugged constitution and industrious habits will be in greater demand to take their places than has ever been known. Much as has been written in regard to the prominent part that such breeding and early training in the country have contributed to the successful management of great enterprises and the successful prosecution of professional careers, more will be said in the same direction in the future. The farms of the country have been and will continue to be the nurseries where the men who are doing the most for the nation are reared. Their brains are sharpened and their nerves will be re-energized. —Greenwood News and Views.

### THE PERFECT WAY.

Scores of Chester Citizens Have Learned It.


If you suffer from backache, There is only one way to cure it. The perfect way is to cure the kidneys.

A bad back means sick kidneys. Neglect it, and trouble follows. Doan's Kidney Pills are made for kidneys only.

Crawford, salesman at the Hub, residing at 102 Public Square, Laurens, S. C., says: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills very highly. I used them for backache and found them to be the perfect way to cure it. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it was time, and money wasted. I saw an advertisement about Doan's Kidney Pills and I got a box. They cured me and restored the kidneys to their normal condition. My next night's sleep was perfect. I feel like this from Chester people. Call at the Chester Drug Co's store and ask what their customers report."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c per box. B. F. Williams, Distributor, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.



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The unprecedented popularity of Royster's FARMERS' BONE fertilizer has induced some of our competitors to advertise Fish Guano, claiming theirs to be "just as good." FARMERS' BONE is the original Fish Guano, and, to prevent being imposed upon, buyers should be sure that our trade-mark is on every bag. This is the only guarantee that you are getting the genuine

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Are no trouble to keep in your pasture or lot when you have a good fence, and the best fence you can buy is the

## AMERICAN or ELLWOOD

because it's solid, of immense strength; it's elastic, will yield to heavy pressure and spring back again, and will last a lifetime. In any height or size. Call and see it.

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